Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

(currently amended) <u>A Ppaint based on at least one polymer dispersion with pigments, fillers, thickeners, dispersants and additives,</u>

characterised in thatwherein it contains:

- a) 2-20 wt-% polymer dispersion calculated as a solid component,
- b) 2-35 wt-% pigments,
- c) 5-60 wt-% fillers having a particle diameter of 0.1-200 µm
- d) 0.1-3 wt-% thickeners,
- e) 0.1-2 wt-% dispersants, and
- f) a maximum of 5 wt-% additives and water to make up to 100%, with the proviso that the dispersion has a viscosity of 2.0 to 5 · 10² m Pa/s, the viscosity being determined at a shear rate of 30,000 · 1/s with a capillary rheometer.
- 2. (currently amended) The Ppaint according to claim 1, eharacterised in that wherein the viscosity is in the range from 3.5 to 5.0 · 10² m Pa/s.
- 3. (currently amended) The Ppaint according to claim 1-or 2, characterised in that wherein the polymer dispersion is selected from polymers which have been obtained from the monomers carboxylic acid vinyl esters having 3-20 carbon atoms, N-vinylpyrrolidone, ethylenically unsaturated carboxylic acids, their esters, amides or anhydrides, styrene or its derivative, and/or α-olefins.

- 4. (currently amended) <u>The Ppaint according to claim 3, characterised in that wherein</u> it is a polystyrene acrylate, acrylic resin and/or silicone resin dispersion.
- 5. (currently amended) The Ppaint according to one of the preceding-claims 1, eharacterised in that wherein the pigments are selected from titanium dioxide, iron oxide, chromium oxide, cobalt blue, phthalocyanine pigments, spinel pigments as well as nickel and chromium titanate, azoic pigments, quinacridone pigments and/or dioxazine pigments.
- 6. (currently amended) <u>The Ppaint according to claim 5</u>, characterised in that wherein the pigment is titanium dioxide.
- 7. (currently amended) The Ppaint according to one of the preceding-claims 1, eharacterised in that wherein the fillers have a diameter of between 0.1 and 100 μ m and are selected from silicates, carbonates, fluorite, sulphates and oxides.
- 8. (currently amended) <u>The Ppaint according to one of the preceding claims 1</u>, eharacterised in that wherein the surface of the fillers is functionalised.
- (currently amended) <u>The Ppaint according to one of the preceding claims 1</u>, <u>eharacterised in that wherein</u> the thickener is selected from polycarboxylates, urethane thickeners, polysaccharides and/or cellulose ethers.
- 10. (currently amended) <u>The Ppaint according to one of the preceding claims 1</u>, eharacterised in that wherein the additives are dispersants, stabilisers, anti-foaming agents, preservatives and/or hydrophobing agents.

- 11. (currently amended) A Mmethod for applying the paint according to at least one of claims 1 to 10, using a spraying process, characterised in that wherein the a dispersion paint according to claim 1 is led out of a reservoir via a conveying unit and a connecting line to an airless spray gun and sprayed at 55-135 bar spraying pressure measured at the spray gun.
- 12. (currently amended) <u>The Mmethod according to claim 11, eharacterised in that wherein</u> the pressure is 70-80 bar.
- 13. (currently amended) <u>The Mmethod according to claim 12</u>, <u>characterised in that wherein</u> a diaphragm pump is used as the conveying unit.
- 14. (currently amended) <u>The Mmethod according to claim 12-or-13</u>, characterised in that wherein a temperature-controlled hose is used as the connecting line.
- 15. (currently amended) The Mmethod according to claim 14, characterised in that wherein the temperature is so controlled that the dispersion paint has a temperature of 27-40°C, preferably 30-38°C, at the spray gun.
- 16. (currently amended) <u>The Mmethod according to one of the preceding claims 11</u>, characterised in that wherein the airless spray gun is equipped with a double nozzle.
- 17. (currently amended) The Mmethod according to claim 16, characterised in that wherein the double nozzle is designed in the form of two slit-like nozzle apertures arranged beside one another, preferably in a row.

- 18. (currently amended) The Mmethod according to claim 16-or 17, characterised in that wherein the arrangement and design of the double nozzles is so selected that the spray jets intersect in the longitudinal direction.
- 19. (canceled)